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Applicants: Dean L. Engelhardt et al.)
Serial No.: 07/960,071)
Filing Date: October 13, 1992)
For: SUGAR MOIETY LABELED NUCLEOTIDES)
(AS AMENDED))

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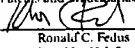

Honorable Commissioner
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**RECONSIDERATION OF RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
(AND ELECTION OF SPECIES) UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.143**

Dear Sirs:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.143, Applicants hereby request reconsideration of the restriction requirement (and also the election of species) set forth in the Office Action dated May 13, 1993 which was issued in connection with the above-identified application. This response is being timely filed with a Request For a Three-Month Extension of Time and the fee therefor.

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